

Wisconsin Medicaid and BadgerCare Fact Sheet

Medicaid Eligibility Review

If you are eligible for Medicaid/BadgerCare, you must participate in a Medicaid eligibility review at least once a year to assure that there is no interruption in your Medicaid coverage. If the eligibility review is not completed your eligibility for Medicaid will end.

The time period varies:

• 12 Month Reviews:

- ✓ Family Related Medicaid
- ✓ Medicaid for the Elderly, Blind or Disabled
- √ BadgerCare

Other Reviews:

- ✓ Medicaid for Pregnant Women The review must be completed 60 days after the end of the pregnancy.
- ✓ Medicaid through an Extension or Deductible The review must be completed by the end date of the extension or deductible.

Reviews done for W-2, Food Stamps, Caretaker Supplement or Child Care programs meet the requirement for a Medicaid Eligibility Review.

How Will I Know When My Review Is Due?

You will be notified by mail by your county/tribal human or social services department in the month prior to the month your review is due. (For example, if your review is due in April, your notice will come in March.)

How Will the Medicaid Eligibility Review Take Place?

Your review may be completed by mail, by telephone, or face-to-face with a worker at your county/tribal social or human services department, or W-2 agency.

How Does the Review Work?

You will be asked to update and provide changes in information needed to review eligibility such as in income, assets, expenses, and the people who live in your home. A few days after the review is complete, you will receive a letter explaining any changes that may have occurred in your Medicaid eligibility.

For More Information Call:

- Medicaid at 1-800-362-3002 (TTY and translation services are available).
- The county/tribal social or human services department, W-2 agency, or Medicaid outstation site in your county.

Information provided in this document is general. To find out more detailed information regarding a Medicaid eligibility review, please contact your local county/tribal social or human service agency.

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